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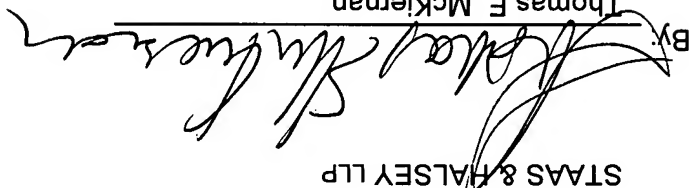
Pursuant to Rule 136(a), Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) the Commissioner for an extension of time into the third month after the response due date, i.e., until May 3, 2007, for responding to the Office Action mailed November 3, 2006.

A check for the appropriate fee set by 37 CFR §1.17 of \$1,020 is attached hereto for this Petition.

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